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The Honorable Douglas McKay
The Secretary of the Interior
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. McKay:

Thank you for your letter of 13 January inviting me to participate in the 1956 Red Cross Campaign as Honorary Vice Chairman of the Government Unit and as Chairman for the Central Intelligence Agency.

It is with a deep sense of honor and pleasure that I accept your invitation to serve in this great humanitarian cause. I have asked Harrison G. Reynolds, Director of Personnel and Chairman of our one-fund drive, to serve as my alternate. Mr. Reynolds, long associated with the Boston Chapter of the American Red Cross, shares my pleasure for this opportunity to be of service.

Unfortunately, I am unable to furnish you with the payroll information which you have requested, due to our security restrictions. You may be assured, however, that you will receive our full cooperation in every other aspect of the drive.

With best wishes for a most successful campaign.

Sincerely,
SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

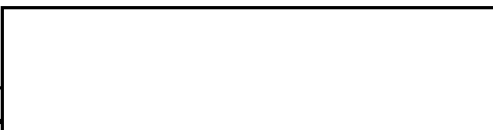
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